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SUBJ: BOURGUIBA INITIATIVE

REF: TUNIS 3658

1. WE PREFER NOT REPEAT NOT TO TAKE INITIATIVE TO INJECT OURSELVES INTO BOURGUIBA- ITALIAN- ISRAELI DIALOGUE WHICH SEEMS TO US TO BE INCREASINGLY BECOMING EXERCISE IN PUBLIC ONE- UP- MANSHIP. WE WILL, OF COURSE, BE INTERESTED TO HEAR ANYTHING MASMOUDI MAY HAVE TO SAY TO YOU, BUT YOU SHOULD AT THIS STAGE LIMIT YOURSELF TO POSITION SET FORTH IN STATE 110547.

2. FYI: WE REMAIN PREPARED TO HAVE ANOTHER LOOK AT WHAT WE MIGHT POSSIBLY DO AT LATER STAGE IN LIGHT OF ANY INFORMATION YOU MAY RECEIVE FROM MASMOUDI OR WE MAY SUBSEQUENTLY RECEIVE FROM ITALIANS INDICATING THAT SOMETHING SERIOUS MAY IN FACT COME OUT OF ALL THIS. END FYI.

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